

Athlete or Ancillary Personnel Between Sports Seasons Questionnaire - Employer

Claimant Information:

Last Name: First Name: MI: SSN:

Employer Name: Employer Account #:

(Este es un documento importante. Si usted necesita un intérprete, póngase en contacto con su oficina local.)

The claimant has filed a claim for Unemployment Insurance Benefits. In order to properly determine the claimant's eligibility for benefits under Section 613, of the Illinois Unemployment Insurance Act, please complete this form and return it to the Illinois Department of Employment Security Reporting Office as instructed.

If you need additional space, please use the other side of this document, if appropriate, or attach a separate sheet of paper.

The department has received information that the claimant may be an athlete or ancillary personnel between sports seasons. Under Section Code 613 of the Illinois Unemployment Insurance Act, an individual shall be ineligible for benefits, on the basis of wages for any services if substantially all of such services consist of participating in sports or athletic events or training or preparing so to participate, for any week which begins (after December 31, 1977) during the period between two successive sport seasons (or similar periods), if the individual performed such services in the first of such seasons (or similar periods) and there is reasonable assurance that the individual will perform such services in the later of such seasons (or similar periods). The information you provide will be used for the purpose of determining the claimant's eligibility for benefits. Failure to respond will result in a determination based on the available information.

56 Ill. Adm. Code 2720.1 provides that a "party" to a claim for benefits is any employing unit which files a timely and sufficient protest to that claim for benefits. Only a party has the right to appeal an adverse determination or decision with respect to a claimant's eligibility.

Responding with this questionnaire does not establish you as a party. If you have already submitted a Notice of Possible Ineligibility or letter in lieu thereof, you will receive a determination on this issue. If you have not submitted a Notice of Possible Ineligibility or letter in lieu thereof and wish to protest this claim under this or any other issue, you should file your protest immediately. The timeliness of your protest will be determined from the date that the notice of the claim was sent to you.

This state agency is requesting information that is necessary to accomplish the statutory purpose as outlined in 820 ILCS 405/100-3200. Disclosure of this information is voluntary. However, failure to disclose this information may result in the erroneous payment of Unemployment Insurance benefits which may affect the amount of your liability for contributions or payments in lieu of contributions.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Section A: Athlete Information			
Did the claimant participate in sports or athletic events, or was he/she in training or preparing to participate in sports or athletic events since his/her base period beginning date	?	Yes	No
<i>If No, please sign and return this questionnaire as no further information is needed.</i>			
If Yes, in what sport did the claimant participate?			
What was the claimant's position or job title?			
What were the start and end dates of the claimant's employment during the official sport season?			
From:	/	/	To: / /
Do you expect the claimant to return to perform such services in the next season?		Yes	No
If Yes, does the claimant have a contract for the next season?		Yes	No
What will be the start and end dates?	From:	/ /	To: / /
Section B: Signature			
Signature:		Date:	
Name: (printed)		Telephone Number:	
Title:		Ext.:	